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What We Did in Porto Rico.

The pathetic appeal of the Delegate terday, deserves still further consideration paved for a coffee trust to step in and against such reasoning. monopolize the coffee.

to Hawaii, Mexico, and Peru. "Men, was raised 50 per cent. women, and children starved in their little homes in the mountains, or, exhausted by the exertion, dropped on their way to the In these days of abortive attempts of and happiness of the country."

the island. and cheerfully waved the flag.

So far, the standpatters seem willing salvation and advice.

A Splendid Swan Song.

Ward Carmack in the Senate of the United States nothing so much became the way.

so long as it keeps the Senate from acting where eggs are plentiful at moderat upon a measure doomed to defeat by such methods. That is the usual path followed by the fillibuster, and the perlowed by the fillibuster, and the perlowed in emptying and the product of things of the product of the product of the perlowed in emptying and the perlowed in emptying the product of the perlowed in emptying the perlowed in the perlowed in emptying the perlowed in the pe

escape. old of retirement-counting the very min- tried, even though he is a drone, a nonutes until he gave way to another-he producer.

more radiant!

Both have brought forth the most re- the functions of the Federal government public. It would not be far amiss to say a distracted nation are due! that Spooner was the Carmack of the Republican side, and Carmack the Spooner of the Democratic side. In point of serv-Entered as second-class matter, October 5, 1905, at the post-office at Washington, D. C., under act of to fit the comparison nicely. Each goes forth with the respect, confidence, good slonal Record. will, and best wishes of the entire nation

Mr. Harriman says Mr. Roosevelt needs Ernest H. Merrick . . . Treasurer and Business Manager discipline. Several gentlemen have under-Clarence C. Archibald Advertising Manager taken to administer it, but after the first port on a platform favoring the sale of round "the subsequent proceedings inter- the Philippine Islands is a significant ested them no more.'

The People and Their Budgets.

priated by both sessions of the Fifty- Eighth Virginia district, where a vacancy ninth Congress do not total two billions, has been caused by the death of John F. live in history as the "two-billion-dollar dressed to the voters of that district; Congress." The totals are so little short of this stupendous sum that in our con- that can be done, because the Constitution of the venient way of designating things the United States nowhere provides for a colonial form 1.53,00 per year to the Fifty-ninth Congress. Chairman Court has held that the Philippine Islands are a = Tawney, of the House Committee on Ap-No attention will be paid to anonymous propriations, cried out in warning at the to beginning of the session against swelling government from beyond the seas, and taxation the editor will be printed except over the the budget to such huge proportions as without representation, and we cannot justly impose were attained, but his voice was un- on others that to which we would not submit heeded. Probably it was impracticable Of almost equal significance is Judge should be sent with the manuscript for the holders of the national purse- Nicol's strong declaration for a revision All communications intended for this short of the wide range of expenditures be levied for revenue and for incidental newspaper, whether for the daily or the provided for. Cuts might have been made protection only, and not for protection Sanday issue, should be addressed to here and there in individual items, but as protection. "It may be said that agita-

note that the country receives the budget must ultimately prevail." placidly and complacently. As yet we Judge Nicol has taken advanced ground upon which The Herald commented yes- the announcement that the session which satisfaction of the country. closed yesterday has appropriated nearly by reason of its lucid and apparently a billion dellars of the prospective public truthful account of the economic condi- revenues to meet estimated expenses for tions brought about by American rule. In the fiscal year beginning July 1. Apparthe forefront of the island's troubles ently the only assurance the people desire stands the Dingley tariff, the application is that the appropriations were necessary to be. of which to Porto Rico destroyed the to meet the expenses of their government lucrative coffee trade with Spain and honestly and economically administered. other nations having commercial relations In the present condition of the public with that colony. A year before the Ding- mind it is obvious that the country is ley tariff was extended to Porto Rico a proud of the distinction of being able to hurricane inflicted severe damage on the meet the largest budget ever framed by coffee planters, but the tariff completed any nation in a time of profound peace. the work of ruin. Moreover, when it was We lead the world in all great matters down with them; but what is a wastrel? proposed by the Porto Rican House of that are strictly material and financial Delegates to raise a loan upon the credit and why should we not also lead in the of the island to supply the planters with matter of budgets? We have become so acthe capital needed to rejuvenate their in- customed to thinking in millions that to dustry, the executive council, the majority adjust our national comprehension to a of which is always American, vetoed the billion imposes no strain upon our imagiproject. The result was, according to Mr. nation or understanding. Prosperity tions. Larrinaga, that most of the small coffee abounds on every hand. Everybody is farms have fallen into the hands of making money. Every man who wants wealthy merchants and bankers, having to work is employed. The powers and been sold to supply pressing needs of the functions of the Federal government are its name to the Daily Thomas Cat. small farmers or to pay taxes. Mr. Lar- being strengthened and multiplied with rinaga says that in consequence "one of the people's free assent. Then why not the most beautiful features of the social pay for what we want? This, we suspect and economical conditions of the island is the reasoning of the popular mind, and has almost disappeared, and the way is carping criticism can make no headway

The real trouble will come when an Nor was this all. In exchanging the effort is made to shave down expendicoins of the island for the coinage of the tures, and the party to whom the people United States, as required by the or- may see fit to intrust this responsibility ganic act, the circulating medium was will have a thankless and perilous task.

history they were compelled to migrate resigned upon the very day his salary

The Hen as a Trust Buster.

beg for a piece of bread." Worse yet, if bust the trusts, the American hen, mod-Mr. Larrinaga may be credited-he says est and demure as becomes femininity, is the facts can be proved by official docu- achieving results along this line which ments in the archives of the State De- entitle her to the distinguished considerapartment-while these things were taking tion of every householder in the land. place in Porto Rico "the official reports Her industry and her diligence, have never been properly celebrated. Her dom-ineering companion, the rooster, is the from the island proclaimed the prosperity never been properly celebrated. Her dom-There is something, we are glad to say, theme of song and story, and his picture to catch on to the Senatorial method of on the other side of the ledger. While the is used to mark the shimmering glory of coffee industry is still prostrate, the sugar political triumph. That is what vain and tobacco plantations have been largely glory does in this world of ours. The developed, and give employment to the hen's gentle "cluck-cluck" irritates, while working classes. Nevertheless, the profits the rooster's ear-splitting crow stirs heroaccruing from these industries go out of worshiping mankind to ecstasies of adthe island and into the coffers of the sugar and tobacco trusts of this country, which are protected by our tariff from forcign competition while they enjoy free trade with our Porto Rican dependency.

So far as constructed and into the coffers of the sugar and tobacco trusts of this country, which are protected by our tariff from forcign competition while they enjoy free trade with our Porto Rican dependency.

So far as constructed by thousands of California's most noble women. Senator Stone could not beat that in three trials. So far as exports and imports go, Porto She has driven the price of eggs from Rico is doing more business than it ever did before, and the trusts are reaping the Until she settled down to 12 and 15 cents. gains of it. And yet Mr. Larrinaga thinks too, without the fanfare of trumpets-the gains of it. And yet Mr. Larrinaga thinks nothing has been done by Congress to help the island. Atlanta Journal. A big nerve, you mean! Half an hour after Mr. Larrinaga had in their cold storage warehouses from delivered his strong indictment of our maladministration of Porto Rican affairs, the distinguished group of statesmen to whom he had addressed his remarks was singing "The Star-Spanded Power" at the mercy of the trust Hamada and Form the deep and continued silence down Washington way we incline to the belief that the society for the suppression of useless noises has captured Foraker and Tillman," says the Indianapolis Sun. No: Congress has adjusted at the mercy of the trust Hamada. singing "The Star-Spangled Banner" and at the mercy of the trust. Housewives "God Bless Our Native Land." We hope every day. When the 40-cent mark had the delegate from Porto Rico dutifully been reached the humble corner grocerynan broke the news gently that the price would soon go up another notch, "because Servia, for instance. to concede nothing to the free list but eggs is a-gettin' scarcer." He was aware that millions of dozens were packed away in the cold-storage plants-enough, and to spare, to bring good cheer to every In all the honorable career of Edward breakfast table in the realm if only the

him as the leaving of it. Not that it hen performed her service of inestimable It was at this critical juncture that the infected with exaggerated ego germs. value. We read in the public prints that but that—but, since go he must, he laid 10,000,000 fresh eggs arrived in New York aside his stainless toga with a smile upon his lips, sunshine in his heart, and the scalp of the ship subsidy dangling at eggs at 25 cents, then 18 cents, and finally setropolis. The trust offered its frozen Filibustering is, at best, a disagreeable were fresh eggs-real eggs-upon the martask. It generally consists of thresome ket; and why should the housewife buy porter. But, really, hasn't the time ardroning and boring talk-anything, no the trust's eggs? The experience of New matter how senseless, dry, or statistical, York is common the country over. Every formance generally succeeds in emptying She has done her part. Now, let the peothe seats of the Senators and filling the ple do theirs. She has busted the egg cloakrooms and other near-by avenues of trust for them, but theirs is the duty to keep it busted. This cannot be accom-The ship-subsidy bill was proscribed and sentenced to death in the Senate immediately upon its passage by the House. be of the unfailing efficacy of their gov-Mr. Carmack was designated executioner, ernment at Washington. What the peoand to his hands was relegated the task ple ought to do, now that the hen has denying any guilt of graft, has skipped of delivering the coup de grace, with filibustering methods the weapon provided, back yards, their basements, or their The auburn haired Senator from Ten- garrets with hens-good, honest, frugal, nessee set about his task in the merriest faithful, and diligent hens. A rooster or of moods. He rejoiced in the killing of the two will help some, but not much. The victim, and his opponents, helpless and rooster is an arrogant, self-sufficient, and resentful, nevertheless could not but voracious wretch, that will make much laugh at the very sparkling humor of the noise and murder sleep at slumber's forty-seven and sixty-two missing. thing. Never did Senator Carmack ap- sweetest hour; but he is an evil that must pear in finer fettle. Just upon the thresh- be borne with if our scheme is to be

was still the fearless and girded gladiator | But whatever befalls, let us hope that of old, a little more piquant and a little the severe lesson taught by the experience through which the American people have The retirement of Senator Carmack and just passed will not be soon forgotten. The the retirement of Senator Spooner have hen has shown us that at least one trust

attracted more attention than is usual can be busted without waiting for Conwhen changes take place in the Senate. gress to increase the powers and multiply markable tributes from the press and the To her all honor, praise, and gratitude of

That air of profound gloom and melancholy you note about the newspaper ofice alone would Senator Carmack fall fices is occasioned by the cessation of the dally visit from the esteemed Congres-

Two Issues in the Eighth Virginia,

That a candidate for a Congressional nomination should appeal for popular supindication of the trend of public opinion. Such an appeal has been made by Judge Charles E. Nicol, one of the aspirants Although the amounts actually appro- for the Democratic nomination in the the Congress that has just expired will Rixey. Mr. Nicol says, in a card ad-

"I favor the sale of the Philippine Islands, other words, that they are a colony. The very creation of our government was protection agains

strings to keep the grants down to limits of the tariff, which he believes should even had that cheeseparing process been tion for tariff reform would be unavailapplied, the totals would have been about ing," Judge Nicol says in his address, well," sh the same by reason of other items be- "but, on the other hand, it may be said them on. with more force that the struggle for It is interesting, if not significant, to right and justice is eternal, and yet they

have heard no loud complaint. It is ridic- on two important national questions, ulous to base criticism upon the mere which are bound to occupy public attenpromise of performance, and that is what tion more and more as the days go by. from Porto Rico in behalf of his people, would be done should loud outery greet Neither can be regarded as settled to the

> Mr. John Lawrence Sullivan has deelared for a third term for Mr. Roosevelt. Whatever else he may be, L. is not one of those things the President advised the Harvard students not

A Missouri contemporary laments that Eve knew not the luxury of plns. No doubt she made out very well with

"Down with the wastrels!" shout the London suffragettes. All right,

If Cain had only thought to put up a tale about a "brain storm" just after the sad and unnecessarily violent demise of Abel, he might have saved considerable embarrassment to his descendants, and elieved them of many painful explana-

The New York Daily News has come to life again. That paper ought to change

"Take the weather as it comes" advises the Dayton News. And let it go at that, fire, too.

Perhaps we were a little hasty in questioning the veracity of the Houston Post oncerning its statement that strawberries were selling in Texas at 10 cents per

"We hope it will be a long time before greatly contracted, producing the fresh But it is pleasanter to think that we shall in the papers," says a contemporary. As gressional Record,

> The next time the President gets a ompetent man in that Panama Canal of-

A patriotic Atlantan nominates Hon. His hat upon a chair was laid; this would give him a chance to muss up we fear the suggestion has behind it a sinister motive.

Senator Jeffries Davis says the Senate

Mr. Roosevelt is to become a member of a society for the preservation of big game. This will doubtless be good news and then lets it drop back." for the big game.

ost noble women." Senator Stone could it while I am away this summer.

"All it takes to organize a railroad these days is a roller-top desk in a New York office and a little nerve," says the

"From the deep and continued silence

"We secretly envy what we cannot command," says the Baltimore American. Not always; there is King Peter of

According to a French astronomer, the "to collide with the triturated tail of a disintegrated comet. Disintegrated comets ought to keep their tails out of the way.

Perhaps those Brownsville rioters were

Congress stretched one legislative day to something like forty-eight hours, thereby permitting it to be "to-day" in Washington, San Francisco, Hawaii, and Guam at one

rived for the Texas legislators to put up their knives and things?

Can't the members of the various State

want them to give up their free passes so they cannot get killed in the railroad accidents? "Boss" Ruef, of San Francisco, after

virtuously, vehemently, and indignantly

A Prolific Writer.

Prospective customer (in 1910)-I under stand you have a broken set of Roosevelt's messages to Congress? Book dealer-Yes, sir; with only volumes

> Athletics. Waiting for the starter's gun, Hustling 'round the track, Puffing in the distance run, Jumping like a Jack; Hurdle, leap, and shot; All the youthful lot!

-Cleveland Plain Dealer,

A LITTLE NONSENSE.

TIMELY ADVICE. Now this is all I have to say-Keep 'em on. To early spring fall not a prey.

Keep 'em on.

Think not because mild breezes blow
That we are done with sleet and snow.

It's quite a jump to June, you know. Keep 'em on. Let others foolish be, but you Keep 'em on. No matter what your neighbors do, Keep 'em on. I need not come right out, I ween, For surely you are not that green.

I take it you know what I mean. So keep 'em on. A Stepping Stone.

"Couldn't the President give you a job?" "Well, he offered to make me chief engieer of the Panama Canal until I could get something better.

Probably Had. "There are said to be 16,000 hands possible at poker.'

"Oh, yes. Seems to me I've read stories bout fully that many." Well! Well!

"Believe it?"

Now should the reaper call for me, I'd not emit a whine. For I, gadzooks, have lived to see A Senator resign.

In March, "I was saving those for a rainy day," said the pretty girl. Then she considered. "I guess a windy day will do just as

Superselfish.

The girl with the strap stared fixedly at the man. The latter was evidently beside himsel

The National Game. "The management seems to be trying to

But he didn't give up either seat.

and out a square deal." "Still, there is some kicking." "That's on account of the misdeals. They're bound to happen.

ALTERNATING CURRENTS.

From the Chicago Record-Herald.

As It Might Be.

small changes here and there Would save mankind a world of woes; The length of Cleopatra's nose aused war and murder and despair.

The jealous lover still might grip His hand in friendship whom he hates And still be happy had the fates

The frenzied one whose hands are dyed

"Darn it! I wish my ma was a spit-

Where She Fails, "There's only one thing I know of that woman can't do with a hairpin."

'What's that' "Button her waist down the back '

An Active Member, "I find," said the inquisitive constituent "that our Representative's name is men we again see so much Longfellow poetry tioned in three different places in the Con-

corded that he once moved to adjourn."

Nocturn.

The light shone dimly in the hall; To blend in one upon the wall; The light shone dimly in the hali,

Just What She Wanted.

"Dear me," said Mrs. Peckum, who was the entrance? I notice that every em-

"That," explained the superintendent, is a register. It shows just when each on comes in to his work."

INSPIRED BY THE HERALD.

Atlanta Journal: The esteemed Washington Herald is requested to note that going to Philadelphia to practice law, reception of President Loubet in London, siderable amount of feeding is done in and the personal welcome he has exthe plural of grape-fruit and of almost where he is living now.

do first?

United States army and navy, representing Uncle Sam, starting for the canal, exclaiming, "He'll not quit," is encourag-

to be sick, and scientists say that no perfeetly well person ever wants a drink of Fighting Cecil Lyon.

Richmond Times-Dispatch: Says the Republicans in the great State of Texas Washington Herald: "A Kansas court to make a respectable township mass has ruled that a donkey cannot be enjoined from braying. Thus once more factions, whose unceasing warfare con-Harry Lehr escapes the clutches of the tributes to the gayety of the Texas De-

Richmond News-Leader: The Washing- and is a brother of Representative Ache-Music by wireless telegraphy is now predicted. Are they determined to fix the proposed military and naval display ington several days telling the President things so we cannot dedge the phono-graphs?

at the Jamestown Exposition should be withdrawn in view of the announcement that the "Ancient and Honorable Artillery" age should no longer be intrusted to Naof Boston" will be on hand to keep the tional Committeeman Cecil Lyon, one of temporary.

> Austin Statesman: Objection having Lyon faction in the last campaign for been made to lady jurors because they governor of Texas, and polled a vote would "be so apt to find verdicts con-trary to law and evidence" gives the

Curing a Bad Habit.

From Town and Country.

Yabsley—I wish I could break my wife of the habit of presenting me with cigars every opportunity she gets.

Jollybey—Do as I do Smoke them in Decision and the captured an ordinance requiring all trains to stop in the city. Thus it was that he captured the Presidential train before it reached Col. Lyon's town, which is Sherman, and hard by, and thus it was that local control of the presidential trains to stop in the city. Thus it was that he captured the presidential trains to stop in the city. Thus it was that he captured the presidential trains to stop in the city. Thus it was that he captured the presidential trains to stop in the city. Thus it was that he captured the presidential train before it fell back.

And distainfully now you wander and brood and wait every opportunity she gets.

Jollyboy-Do as I do. Smoke them in Denison gave first welcome to the PresiIn this room that I thought was my own

MEN OF NOTE.

That office-holding in the United States, in order to be successful, has to be remajority. Although Gen. Grosvenor was other Western States. was twenty-eight when he entered the -toward whom of the other Republican handsome income out of her fees. Union army as a major. Gen. Berry was leaders is sentiment tending? To test Being of an artistic temperament, Miss only twenty when he joined the Confed- this question additional straw votes, ex- Bradford some eight months ago went to erate army as a second lieutenant. Both fought through the war to the end, and when they returned to their homes their people began to elect them to office, and kent it up steadily until last year. Feel like the second lieutenant. Both fought through the war to the end, and when they returned to their homes their people began to elect them to office, and like the support as all the others combined. In Nebraska Taft had 38 votes, bined. In Nebraska Taft had 38 votes, there is no country like ours. The kept it up steadily until last year. Each His nearest competitors were Root, Bevserved in county offices before going to eridge, and Fairbanks, in that order, with French people are bright and have done their state legislatures, and after that their rise in the public service was gradual until they reached the positions which they last held. Gen. Grasvenor is better 12 works and Poort Share for I were sent to find a gentleman I'd better 15 Weeks 16 and Poort Share. which they last held. Gen. Grosvenor is now seventy-four and Gen. Berry is sixty-six, and as each has devoted forty-six years to the public service almost without a break, it can be understood how hard it will be for them to go back to the moil and strife and petty competitions of private life. Neither is rich she murmured, and forthwith put tions of private life. Neither is rich his policies and the most capable man for on.

enough to live without work. enough to live without work.

Carter Holds the Record.

So much is being said about Mr. Carmack's notable performance in leading national convention will very probably a more popular man in Uncle Sam's the successful filibuster against the pas- make its choice. sage of the ship-subsidy bill in the closing hours of the Senate that an even greater achievement of the same kind by Sena for Carter, of Montana, at the close of San Francisco Oriental Quarter Re-Congress in 1901 seems to have been forgotten, Mr. Carter, like Mr. Carmack, From the San Francisco Argonaut, lapse of four years. President McKin-ship between landlord and tenant, of the sinecure for the American troops. ley wanted the river and harbor bill de- disposition to run in the familiar groove, feated, and William Eaton Chandler, now chairman of the Spanish Treaty Claims Commission by original appointment of McKinley, was selected to talk the bill to death. Mr. Chandler's Senatorial term was drawing to a close, too. He prepared to some other less valuable and loss compared to the rule of spain to the rule of spain to the like a long control of the clay street hill. It will be remembered to the rule of spain to the philippines, but in time it will be done. In the district where I commanded, the people never recognized the rule of Spain, but lived according to the rule of spain to the property of the rule of spain to the property of the rule of spain to the rule of spain to the rule of spain to the property of the rule of spain to the rule of spain to the rule of the rule of spain to the property of the rule of spain to the property of the rule of spain to the rule of spain ter then agreed to do the job. The Montana town must go. But Chinatown has not statesman, without time for preparation, cook the floor about 10 o'clock at night, wish to change; the landowners did not ings." With human blood that he has shed,

Might still be sane and free from dread

If She were snub-nosed or cross-eyed.

Envied,

With human blood that he has shed,
and held it continuously and almost withlow clock at hight, wish to change, the landowners did hold
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held it continuously and almost withlow the moor about the continu "Ma had a quarrel with my teacher, so I won't have to go to school no more this term."

continue to talk up to the very last minute of the sessions, they surrendered and withdrew their bill. Senator Carmack, whose speech was one of the pillower, aboutsned, because, for all its making guns for fortifications and for been one of the fixed features and one United States battle ships.

There is no ironclad rule," said Mr. whose speech was one of the wittlest and most brilliant heard in the Senate for a long up faster than Chinatown. The large gun, but we know that after being used long time, talked only a few hours at two sessions, whereas Senator Carter was on his feet virtually fourteen hours. He delight of the feet virtually fourteen hours.

yet found time to read that speech. For the Hall of Fame. disaster known in financial circles in the pages.

disaster known in financial circles in the stand as the "second cyclone." The misery and destitution of the people were such that for the first time in the island's such that for the first time in the island's such that for the first time in the island's such that for the first time in the island's such that for the first time in the island's such that for the first time in the island's such that for the first time in the island's such that for the first time in the island's such that for the first time in the island's such that for the first time in the island's such that for the first time in the island's such that for the first time in the island's such that for the first time in the island's such that the first time in the pages, says a contemporal such that we shall in the pages, says a contemporal such that we shall in the pages, says a contemporal such that the provisions of the such tha mous men. Until his death a few years ago Mr. Shoup was recognized as one of fice, he should decline to issue a transfer. They said good-night, and still he stayed; the fathers of Idaho. He served its people was their governor and their Senator cities on the coast, where they went to statesmen, courts, and governments to Clark Howell for chief of police, through They said good-night, and still he stayed; after Idaho became a State. In the earlier and wilder days he fought Indians for them, and performed other hazardous the Gov. Hoke Smith inaugural parade. They said good-night, and still he stayed; services which endeared him to the then

State.

Not the Guly Case, knob that is attached to a long thing case of the kind in the recent history of dence, and eminent foreign draughtsmen busy wondering if the next shot won't which looks like a pendulum, moves it the Senate. In 1891 George F. Edmunds, were so imbued by national rancor that around to a certain number, pushes it, who like Mr. Spooner was the acknowl- they applied their pencils to obscene cariedged constitutional authority on the Re- catures of the venerable and revered some loss of cattle on the far Western publican side of the chamber, resigned Queen Victoria, whose long life of uncurtly and without volunteering so elabo- ceasing devotion to her duty and her the sensational stories of wholesale de-"How ingenious, and how interesting. I think that I shall have one put up in the hall at home, so that Henry may use that one of the principal reasons for Mr.

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anything else would be more than one of The oddest resignation of a Senator on the same. man of the name of Craig, dead many Cleveland Leader: The Washington years. He was elected to the Senate by Herald remarks, editorially, "Now, let's his legislature, without a struggle, several ig the canal." But wouldn't it be better to let Maj. Goethals see what he can in the mountains, far removed from rail-road connection. In an old-fashionest sulky, popular in the Tar Heel State in those days, he started from his home to the nearest railroad station to come to the neares dig the canal." But wouldn't it be bet- years before the civil war. His home was ter to let Maj. Goethals see what he can in the mountains, far removed from rail-Herald's latest cartoon showing the the nearest railroad station to come to his vehicle became mired in the mud after his home a day. He turned around, went back home, and sent his resignation to Houston Post: The Washington Herald says: "The Texas legislature has made it a misdemeanor to drink whisky from a cover them at that time of year for the it a misdemeanor to drink whisky from a Senatorship. His resignation was ac-bottle on a train." Not if one happens cepted.

Although there are scarcely not enough

There is yet hope, however, that mocracy and the misery of the appointing the menagerie emissary may corral him. powers in Washington. Dr. A. W. Acheson, who used to be mayor of Denison, legislatures understand that the people peace. And we quite agree with our con- Mr. Roosevelt's close friends and a mighty hunter like the President. Dr. Acheson was the candidate of the antiwould "be so apt to find verdicts contrary to law and evidence" gives the Washington Herald occasion to point out that there would be practically no difference between jurors—male or female. And this we would say brings to mind the fact that there is really too much truth in this pleasantry to find genuine satisfaction in the jury system. The fact is, the present jury system. The fact is, the present jury system is almost as hazardous to the public safety as our present court of criminal appeals is. Not entirely so; just almost.

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Acheson. But Dr. Acheson, being wise in his day and generation, and at that time being clothed with mayoralty autime being clothed with mayoralt thority, had the city council of Denison enact an ordinance requiring all trains to hands.

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MR. ROOSEVELT'S SUCCESSOR.

Straw Votes Show Sentiment Divided Between Fairbanks and Taft.

From the Chicago Record-Herald. Straw votes recently taken among the

tain that the strength of the conservative and reactionary elements in the Republi can party is centering on Fairbanks.

Between Fairbanks and Taft the next career as a soldier, and there is scarcely

RESTORING CHINATOWN. building in Its Old Situation.

KING EDWARD'S DIPLOMACY.

in every high office within their gift. He England's European Prestige Greatly Enhanced During His Reign.

London Letter in Boston Transcript.

tended to her fleets. Italy has renewed ent reports are akin to the stories marriage of its sovereign to the King's to mulct the public by an increased niece. One of the King's daughters is charge for meat."

Great Britain.

Harrimania. From the Wall Street Journal. First, buy control of a railroad. Second, look over the books and disover the sums paid out of income for

Third, capitalize these sums Fourth, pay yourself a dividend from the proceeds, in violation of law. Fifth, sell the road to a rival company

after the cream has been skimmed.

A Lincoln Ancedote, From the Sunday Magazine. On one occasion when he was busy President Lincoln received a delegation of men who were endeavoring to hurry the passage of some petty bill. When they of said:

"If you call the tall of a sheep a leg

AT THE HOTELS.

There is a young lady staying at the New Willard who bears the unique distinct tion of being the only deputy United duced to the system of a trade or profession and is not the result of the spon-taneous action of the voters, is illustrated their preference for the next Presidential their preference for the next Presidential in the case of two of the oldest veterans nomination of their party, show an alof Congress, who were retired to private life with the expiration of the Fifty-ninth if he will accept. From Kansas and other versity, being among the brightest stu-Congress. Gen. Berry, of Arkansas, and States it is reported that a delegation in dents in her class. When she applied for Gen. Grosvenor, of Ohio, are the men in favor of Roosevelt will be sent to the a position as government surveyor, the mind. Each had held some sort of public convention, whether he likes it or not, local chief was dumfounded, as no office almost from the day he attained his and there is talk to the same effect in woman had ever before been a candidate for such a place. So the matter was rein Congress only eighteen years, there If, however, Mr. Roosevelt will not acbeing a hiatus in his service between the cept another nomination-and he has let that the young woman was fully compe-Fifty-first and Fifty-third Congresses, he it be known with complete positiveness tent and able to give the \$10,000 bond, she has held some position of trust at the that he thinks the best service he can got her commission and has proved as people's will ever since the outbreak of render the country for the four years fol- capable and efficient as any man in the the civil war forty-six years ago. He lowing March 4, 1909, is not to be President same line of work, besides making a

Maj. Gen. J. M. Lee, retired, who is at

Gen. Lee served in China during the Boxer troubles, and he has been in the Philippines for extended periods, his latest assignment being commander of the Department of Samar and Leyte, two of the most troublesome districts of tha was serving the last days of his term, Another demonstration of the all-power- archipelago, where, with the native he having been re-elected since then, after ful force of habit, of established relation- fanaticism and brigandage, it was no

"It will take a long time," said Gen was drawing to a close, too. He prepared to some other less valuable and less conhimself elaborately for the task set him by the President, but the day before he was to begin his long fillbuster speech he body eventing the Chinese themselves by was to begin his long fillbuster speech he unexpectedly was drawn into another long debate, which were out his voice. Mr. Car- and their landlords, decided that China- the profitably, and there are opportunities in plenty for young single men who have the necessary ambition and rinch to live the necessary ambition and pluck to live

Mr. Charles H. Williams, of Derby, Conn., who is at the Shoreham, is at the head of one of three concerns engaged in

lared only yesterday that he had never high prices for materials and for labor, that 700 firings would be about the limit with the other disadvantages which have of many of the smaller caliber guns. The beset and oppressed rebuilders generally, reason for this rapid loss of efficiency is For the Hall of Fame.

There were in old Chinatown some that the tremendous heat engendered by twenty-seven Chinese holders of real the smokeless powder at the point of At its session this year the Idaho legis-lature granted an appropriation for a life-loid, these Oriental landowners have been combustion (the breech of the smokeless powder at the point of combustion (the breech of the weapon) size statue of the late George L. Shoup, to prompt in the work of restoring their has an erosive effect on the rifled surface be placed in Statuary Hall at the Capitol property upon lines better than before, in Washington under the provisions of the Chinatown is not going to afford the of the gun just as though it had been

tend beyond those of 3-inch dimension throwing a fifteen-pound shell. are chiefly useful for the auxiliary equipment of a battle ship, and are relied on especially to take care torpedo boats. The big 12-inch guns will begin their deadly work at a distance When King Edward succeeded his from the enemy of eight miles, but the them, and performed other hazardous services which endeared him to the then and succeeding generations of Idahoans. His name is a household word in the South Africa, and Great Britain stood alone. The feeling of practically the whole of Furnne was against here the great and distance of four and a half whole of Europe was against her; the press of the leading Continental powers of 2,650 feet per second. One shot from rejoiced openly and unreservedly in the them will send a torpedo boat to the The resignation of Senator Spooner in disasters that befell her army; no mis- bottom in quick time, and they can be who comes in takes hold of a little the middle of his term is not the only representation was too absurd for cre- fired so fast as to keep an antagonist

her ancient affection for Great Britain. come out each spring about the ruin of Portugal has established an understanding with the King's government, and prices, and a wholesale killing of beef-Spain is even more closely allied by the steers, even if it be imaginary, will serve

his vehicle became mired in the mud after he had been away from the comferts of serve him well in the future, since an excellent understanding exists between England and Austria. Throughout the length unwise: for how little is the knowledge and breadth of Europe the King's tact of the learned among us! Not the strong and diplomacy, his obvious sincerity in and the weak, for the man who is desiring that he should rule his country strongest this morning may lie on the in peace and friendship with all men, has enormously enhanced the prestige of classes are the men with the open mind and the men with the closed mind; the men who have settled everything, and desire nothing new; and those who keep their minds open, and believe that every morning there comes a fresh message from the Father, and some new claims of the divine relation. If we keep mind improvements, but which are charged to and heart open, then God has a place us, and a work for us to do, just as long

Getting the Best of Him.

From the Boston Herald. A Biddeford man who formerly ran a hotel at Old Orchard, had been bothered about getting chickens for his boarders. At the market nine times out of ten he had tough birds palmed off on him, and so went to a new market one morning.

entered Lincoln looked up gravely and this merning?" he inquired of the meat

"Twenty," answered the merchant. "Well, I've got some of the biggest eaters you ever saw boarding in my house. Pick me out a dozen of the toughest chicks you have in the store. The dealer did so, whereupon the landlord picked up the eight that were left and said: "If it's all the same to you, I'll take these.'

Only Doing His Duty.

O'Hagan-Oi have found the man that hit me wid a brick as Oi was passin' the alley, Mr. Murphy. Mr. Murphy-And what did you do with

O'Hagan-Nothin.' Twas all a mistake -the man was only doing his duty. thought Oi was a constable in plain clothes.